

INTERNATIONAL SEARCH REPORT

PCT/GB2005/000756

A. CLASSIFICATION OF SUBJECT MATTER IPC 7 F42B39/14 F42B39/24 F42D5/04 F42D5/045		
According to International Patent Classification (IPC) or to both national classification and IPC		
B. FIELDS SEARCHED Minimum documentation searched (classification system followed by classification symbols) IPC 7 F42B F42D		
Documentation searched other than minimum documentation to the extent that such documents are included in the fields searched		
Electronic data base consulted during the International search (name of data base and, where practical, search terms used) EPO-Internal, WPI Data		
C. DOCUMENTS CONSIDERED TO BE RELEVANT		
Category *	Citation of document, with indication, where appropriate, of the relevant passages	Relevant to claim No.
X	WO 03/067178 A (SEMA; LAUBIE, CHARLES) 14 August 2003 (2003-08-14) page 1, line 15 - line 22 page 3, line 21 - page 4, line 30 figures	1-16
Y	US 4 543 872 A (GRAHAM ET AL) 1 October 1985 (1985-10-01) column 3, line 61 - column 4, line 55 figure 2	1-16
Y	GB 2 355 057 A (THE * POST OFFICE) 11 April 2001 (2001-04-11) page 4, line 31 - page 6, line 8	1-16
	-/-	
<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Further documents are listed in the continuation of box C.		<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Patent family members are listed in annex.
* Special categories of cited documents : "A" document defining the general state of the art which is not considered to be of particular relevance "E" earlier document but published on or after the International filing date "L" document which may throw doubts on priority claim(s) or which is cited to establish the publication date of another citation or other special reason (as specified) "O" document referring to an oral disclosure, use, exhibition or other means "P" document published prior to the International filing date but later than the priority date claimed		
T later document published after the International filing date or priority date and not in conflict with the application but cited to understand the principle or theory underlying the invention *X* document of particular relevance; the claimed invention cannot be considered novel or cannot be considered to involve an inventive step when the document is taken alone *Y* document of particular relevance; the claimed invention cannot be considered to involve an inventive step when the document is combined with one or more other such documents, such combination being obvious to a person skilled in the art. *&* document member of the same patent family		
Date of the actual completion of the international search	Date of mailing of the International search report	
16 June 2005	28/06/2005	
Name and mailing address of the ISA European Patent Office, P.B. 5818 Patentlaan 2 NL - 2280 HV Rijswijk Tel. (+31-70) 340-2040, Tx. 31 651 epo nl, Fax: (+31-70) 340-3016	Authorized officer Bridge, S	

INTERNATIONAL SEARCH REPORT

PCT/GB2005/000756

C.(Continuation) DOCUMENTS CONSIDERED TO BE RELEVANT		
Category *	Citation of document, with indication, where appropriate, of the relevant passages	Relevant to claim No.
A	RU 2 150 669 C1 (TOVARISHCHESTVO S OGRANICHENNOJ OTVETSTVENNOST'JU) 10 June 2000 (2000-06-10) abstract -----	1-16
A	GB 2 374 625 A (PETER * JAMES) 23 October 2002 (2002-10-23) cited in the application page 7, line 3 - line 25 figure 3 -----	1-16

INTERNATIONAL SEARCH REPORT

PCT/GB2005/000756

Patent document cited in search report		Publication date	Patent family member(s)		Publication date
WO 03067178	A	14-08-2003	WO 03067177 A1 WO 2004068063 A1 AU 2002237356 A1 AU 2003226857 A1 EP 1472503 A1 WO 03067178 A1 AU 2002364923 A1		14-08-2003 12-08-2004 02-09-2003 02-09-2003 03-11-2004 14-08-2003 23-08-2004
US 4543872	A	01-10-1985	NONE		
GB 2355057	A	11-04-2001	NONE		
RU 2150669	C1	10-06-2000	NONE		
GB 2374625	A	23-10-2002	EP 1368548 A1 WO 02072981 A1 US 2004091181 A1		10-12-2003 19-09-2002 13-05-2004